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## Application No. Applicant(s) 09/406,803 OKAMOTO, TSUGIO Interview Summary Art Unit Examiner 2666 Inder P Mehra All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel): (1) Inder P Mehra. (4)\_\_\_\_\_. (2) Andrew J. Taska, Attorney, Regd. No. 54,666. Date of Interview: 27 January 2004. Type: a) ✓ Telephonic b) ✓ Video Conference c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No. If Yes, brief description: . Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 6. Identification of prior art discussed: Bakes et al (US Patent No. 5,956,335). Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) $\square$ N/A. Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Functional address and the multicast address diclosed in Bakes do not respective3ly conform to different address formats Further, Applicant argues, "In Bakes, disclosed functional address is not written with Multicast address" .. (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.) THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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